



LifeGroup Discussion Questions

The Doctrine of the Word | May 30, 2021

Summary

God reveals Himself through His word.

Scripture

¹ The heavens proclaim the glory of God.

The skies display his craftsmanship.

² Day after day they continue to speak;
night after night they make him known.

³ They speak without a sound or word;
their voice is never heard.

⁴ Yet their message has gone throughout the earth,
and their words to all the world.

God has made a home in the heavens for the sun.

⁵ It bursts forth like a radiant bridegroom after his wedding.
It rejoices like a great athlete eager to run the race.

⁶ The sun rises at one end of the heavens
and follows its course to the other end.
Nothing can hide from its heat.

⁷ The instructions of the LORD are perfect,
reviving the soul.

The decrees of the LORD are trustworthy,
making wise the simple.

⁸ The commandments of the LORD are right,
bringing joy to the heart.

The commands of the LORD are clear,
giving insight for living.

⁹ Reverence for the LORD is pure,
lasting forever.

The laws of the LORD are true;
each one is fair.

¹⁰ They are more desirable than gold,
even the finest gold.

They are sweeter than honey,
even honey dripping from the comb.

¹¹ They are a warning to your servant,
a great reward for those who obey them.

¹² How can I know all the sins lurking in my heart?

Cleanse me from these hidden faults.

¹³ Keep your servant from deliberate sins!

Don't let them control me.

Then I will be free of guilt

and innocent of great sin.

¹⁴ May the words of my mouth
and the meditation of my heart

be pleasing to you,

O LORD, my rock and my redeemer. -Psalm 19 (NLT)

²⁷ Then Jesus took them through the writings of Moses and all the prophets, explaining from all the Scriptures the things concerning himself. -Luke 24:27 (NLT)

Let's Start

What aspect of creation fills you with a sense of awe of God's glory?

Gratitude and Prayer

What happened this past week that you are grateful for? What would you like to pray for today? How did God work in your life since the last time we were together? What is He doing through you as it relates to your Adopt 7?

Let's Talk

1. What do we learn about the character of God from observing creation?
2. What do we learn about the character of God from knowing His Law?
3. David enumerates a lot of benefits of God's word. According to Psalm 19, what are they? Do you see them in your life?
4. How would you say our culture describes the law of God?
5. What part of God's word does our culture especially object to?
6. Pastor Dale talked about sins that are often difficult to identify in our own lives: pride, self-justification, defensiveness, greed, selfishness, jealousy, unkindness, etc. How do we find ourselves tolerating these sins in our lives? How can we recognize them for the sin they are?

